

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT WINCHESTER

STEVEN D. RIDNER,

Plaintiff,

v.

4:11-cv-03

STEVE GRAVES  
and PAM FREEMAN,

Defendants.

**MEMORANDUM**

This is a *pro se* prisoner's civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On April 12, 2011, the court granted the defendants' motion to take the plaintiff's deposition. Plaintiff's copy of that order, which was mailed to him at his last known address of Coffee County Jail, was returned undelivered on April 19, 2011, with the notation "unable to forward." In the court's initial order, plaintiff was ordered to inform the court immediately of any address changes. Plaintiff was also advised that failure to provide a correct address within ten days following any change of address would result in the dismissal of this action.

Accordingly, this action will be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** for plaintiff's failure to prosecute and to comply with the orders of this court. Rule 41(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. *See Jourdan v. Jabe*, 951 F.2d 108 (6th Cir. 1991); *Carver v. Bunch*, 946 F.2d 451 (6th Cir. 1991). The court will **CERTIFY** that any appeal from this

action would not be taken in good faith and would be totally frivolous. *See* Rule 24 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

**AN APPROPRIATE ORDER WILL ENTER.**

/s/Harry S. Mattice, Jr.  
HARRY S. MATTICE, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE